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W. Ray Luce, Division Director Georgia Department of Natural Resources Historic Preservation Division 156 Trinity Avenue, SW, Suite 101 Atlanta, GA 30303-3600

RE:

CSX Transportation, Inc. Proposed Line Abandonment Ware and Atkinson Counties, Georgia Docket AB-55 (Sub-No. 640X)

Dear Mr. Luce:

We are in receipt of a letter from Denise Messick of your office requesting additional information concerning the above-referenced abandonment. Specifically requested were additional photographs of the six bridges on the line. Pursuant to your request, please find enclosed photographs of Bridges #1-#6. The side views provided are the best possible views that can be obtained of these bridges due to the terrain and recent excessive rainfalls in the area. Also provided is a copy of the Historic Report previously submitted to your office.

As previously stated, as these are timber trestles, CSX does not believe that these timber trestle bridges are historically significant structures since timbers and other components of these bridges are typically replaced over the years for general maintenance needs.

If you need additional information, please advise.

Sincerely,

Stephanie M. Lemmon

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## **Attachments**

Copy: Surface Transportation Board Section of Environmental Analysis 1925 K Street NW - Suite 534 Washington, DC 20423-0001

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